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26 December 1959

Handwritten signature
Mr. William Blum, Jr.
Powell, Dorsey, Blum & White
1741 K Street, Northwest
Washington 6, D. C.

Dear Mr. Blum:

It is a great pleasure for me to write the
Metropolitan Club on behalf of Congressman
Bob Barry, for whom I have the highest regards.

Sincerely,
SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles

Enclosure

Handwritten postscript: All best wishes for the New Year.
/s/ A.W.D.

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Attention: Committee on Admissions

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Gentlemen:

I understand that Congressman Robert R. Barry of New York, who has been a non-resident member of the Metropolitan Club, is being considered as a candidate for resident-membership at your January meeting.

It is a great pleasure for me to write on behalf of Congressman Barry who has a distinguished record in banking, in business, and in politics. He has also been prominent in important civic and philanthropic activities in his home District and more broadly in New York State. I consider that he would be a most desirable member for the Club.

Faithfully yours,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles

Director

cc: Mr. William Blum, Jr.

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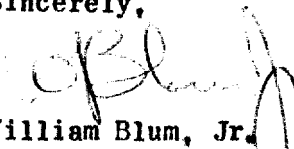
Mr. Allen W. Dulles
Director of Central Intelligence
Central Intelligence Agency
2430 E Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Dulles:

My candidate and our mutual friend, Congressman Bob Barry, of New York, who has been a non-resident member of the Metropolitan Club, will be voted on as a candidate for resident membership at the January meeting, right after the New Year. I wonder if you could just get in a brief note favoring his election and indicating that you are pleased, as I am, that he will be in Washington, and that he appears, in every way, to be appropriately qualified for resident membership. If you have any question about this, please do not hesitate to phone me,

Isn't the President looking well and doing a fine job on this trip. My father-in-law, Bill Henry, is along with him, so we listen each day to the reports on the Blue Sunoco Three Star Extra on radio and NBC on television.

Sincerely,


William Blum, Jr.

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Enclosure

cc: Robert R. Barry, M.C.

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Mr. John J. Bagnall



Dear Jay:

I was most distressed to hear of the death of your wife and want you to know that you have my deepest sympathy.

If there is anything at all that I can do, please do not hesitate to call on me.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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